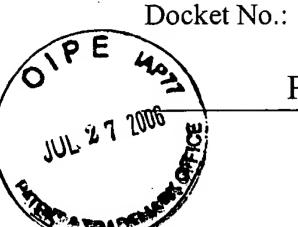
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- Amendment and Response to Office Action mailed March 28, 2006 in 12 pages. (X)
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